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Stephen G. Breyer

Associate Justice, U.S. Supreme Court



Justice Breyer received an A.B. from Stanford University, a B.A. from Magdalen College, Oxford, and an LL.B. from Harvard Law School. He served as a law clerk to Justice Arthur Goldberg of the Supreme Court of the United States. He was a Special Assistant to the Assistant U.S. Attorney General for Antitrust, Assistant Special Prosecutor of the Watergate Special Prosecution Force, Special Counsel, and Chief Counsel, of the U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee. He was an Assistant Professor, Professor of Law, and Lecturer at Harvard Law School, a Professor at the Harvard University Kennedy School of Government, and a Visiting

Professor at the College of Law, Sydney, Australia and at the University of Rome. He was nominated by President Clinton as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court and took his seat August 3, 1994.

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Samuel Anthony Alito

Associate Justice, U.S. Supreme Court



Justice Alito was born in Trenton, New Jersey, April 1, 1950. He married Martha-Ann Bomgardner in 1985, and has two children - Philip and Laura. He received an A.B. from Princeton University in 1972 and a J.D. from Yale Law School in 1975. He served as a law clerk for Leonard I. Garth of the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit from 1976-1977. He was Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of New Jersey, 1977-1981, Assistant to the Solicitor General, U.S. Department of Justice, 1981-1985, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, U.S. Department of Justice, 1985-1987, and U.S. Attorney, District of New Jersey, 1987-1990. He was appointed to the

United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit in 1990. President George W. Bush nominated him as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, and he took his seat on January 31, 2006.

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Sandra Day O'Connor

Associate Justice, U.S. Supreme Court Retired



Sandra Day O'Connor (born March 2, 1930) was nominated by President Reagan and served as the first female Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States from 1981 to 2006. Justice O'Connor was educated at Stanford University, B.A.,

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1950 (with Great Distinction); LL.B, 1952, Order of the Coif, Board of Editors, Stanford Law Review. She was appointed to the Arizona State Senate and reelected to two two-year terms; Deputy County Attorney, San Mateo County, California; Civilian Attorney for Quartermaster Market Center, Frankfurt Germany; Assistant Attorney General in Arizona; and she was in private practice, 1958 to 1960.

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Gail B. Agrawal

Dean, University of Kansas



Agrawal is a native of New Orleans. Following law school, she served as a law clerk to Senior Judge John Minor Wisdom on the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit and then to Associate Justice Sandra Day O'Connor of the United States Supreme Court. Agrawal was a member of a New Orleans law firm, where she limited her practice to health law, and later spent three years in the law department of Aetna, Inc., where she provided counsel to Aetna's health businesses. She has taught as an adjunct professor at Tulane Law School and Tulane School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, and as the W.M. Keck Visiting Professor of Law at the University of Michigan Law School. She is a member of the American Law Institute and has served on the boards of The American Health Lawyers Association and the American Liver Foundation. She is currently a member of the federal Advisory Committee on Organ Transplantation. Her research interests are health care delivery and financing and medical ethics. Agrawal teaches courses in health care law and regulation and professional ethics. Agrawal received a B.A. from the University of New Orleans; M.P.H. from Tulane School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine; J.D., summa cum laude, Tulane Law School, articles editor of the Tulane Law Review, Order of the Coif. On July 1, 2006, Agrawal began her new position as Dean of the University of Kansas.

Erwin Chemerinsky

Professor, Duke Law School



Professor Chemerinsky joined the Duke faculty in July 2004 after 21 years at the University of Southern California Law School. Prior to that he was a professor at DePaul College of Law, and practiced law as a trial attorney. He received a B.S. from Northwestern University and a J.D. from Harvard Law School. He is the author of four books, and regularly serves as a commentator on legal issues for national and local media. He has received numerous awards and in 2005 was named by Legal Affairs as one of "the top 20 legal thinkers in America."

Paul D. Clement

Solicitor General of the United States



Paul is the 43rd Solicitor General of the United States. He was nominated by President George W. Bush, confirmed by the Senate, and took the oath of office on June 13, 2005. He received his bachelor's degree summa cum laude from the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service; a master's degree in economics from Cambridge University;

and a law degree from Harvard (magna cum laude) where he was the Supreme Court editor of the Harvard Law Review. Paul clerked for Judge Laurence H. Silberman of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit, and for Associate Justice Antonin Scalia of the U.S. Supreme Court. He was also in private practice and held several other positions. He has argued over 30 cases before the U.S. Supreme Court (including *United States v. Booker*) and he was an Adjunct Professor at the Georgetown University Law Center.

Lyle Denniston

Journalist
Scotus.blog



Lyle Denniston is now in his 58th year as a journalist. This is also his 48th year of covering the Supreme Court. He has covered one of every four Justices ever to sit on the Court. He is currently covering the Court for an Internet-based clearing house of information about the Supreme Court's work--the weblog known as "SCOTUSblog." He also reports on the Court for Radio Station WBUR in Boston. He is the author of "The Reporter and The Law: Techniques of Covering the Courts." He has contributed two chapters to CQ Press' book on individuals whose cases made history at the Supreme Court, and a chapter to a second CQ Press book, with the chapter covering the controversial New Deal-era decisions of the Court on the NRA and the AAA. He is a member of the Hall of Fame of the Society of Professional Journalists. He is an adjunct faculty member for the Massachusetts School of Law at Andover.

Richard Greene

Author, Attorney, Communication Strategist



Called "The Master of Charisma" by the Sunday Times of London, Richard Greene is considered one of the leading communication coaches in the world. An attorney by trade from USC Law School, Richard left the practice of law to share his communication breakthroughs with Presidents, Prime Ministers, U.S. Presidential candidates, and others in over 25 countries on 5 continents. Noted in the best selling book, "Diana, The Last Year", Richard was even summoned to Kensington Palace in 1996 to advise Princess Diana in her efforts to create a respected and compelling public image. His book, "Words That Shook The World" released by Prentice-Hall, is currently in its second printing. See full biography at:

<http://www.wordsthatshooktheworld.com/about/bio.html>

Linda Greenhouse

Supreme Court Correspondent, The New York Times



Linda Greenhouse has been the Supreme Court correspondent for the New York Times since 1978. In 1990, she was named a Senior Writer for the Times. She also covered Congress and the New York State Legislature. She graduated from Radcliffe College at Harvard, where she served as an editor of the Harvard Crimson and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. She spent a year at Yale Law School on a Ford Foundation fellowship and earned the degree

of Master of Studies in Law. She was awarded the Pulitzer Prize in Journalism in 1998. Her biography of Justice Harry A. Blackmun, *Becoming Justice Blackmun*, was published in May 2005 by Times Books/Henry Holt. She has served on many councils, lectured at many universities, law schools, and judicial conferences. She has received other numerous awards and appears regularly on the PBS program Washington Week.

Melissa Hart

Associate Professor, University of Colorado Law School



Melissa Hart has been an Associate Professor at the University of Colorado Law School since 2001, teaching civil procedure, employment discrimination, and legal ethics and professional responsibility. Her scholarship focuses on employment discrimination and class action litigation. After clerking for Judge Guido Calabresi of the Second Circuit and for Justice John Paul Stevens on the United States Supreme Court, Professor Hart practiced law for several years in Washington, D.C. She worked first in the Issues and Appeals section of Jones, Day, Reavis & Pogue and then as a trial attorney with the U.S. Department of Justice.

John Hinderaker

Partner Attorney, Faegre & Benson LLP *Powerline*

For thirty years John Hinderaker has had a broad-based and varied commercial litigation practice. A veteran of close to 100 jury trials, he has appeared in courts in seventeen states. John has been recognized by Minnesota's *Journal of Law and Politics* as one of the state's top commercial litigators. In recognition of his achievements *The Journal of Law and Politics* recently named John Minnesota's "Super Lawyer of the Year" for 2005. He is also listed in *The Best Lawyers In America*. John is a frequent lecturer to CLE and industry groups. He received an A.B. from Dartmouth College, *magna cum laude*, *Phi Beta Kappa*, and a J.D. from Harvard University, *cum laude*.

Wayland Holyfield

Songwriter



Wayland Holyfield is an award winning songwriter whose songs have been recorded and performed all over the world. He has long been active in the advocacy areas of the music industry. He currently serves as an elected member of the Board of Directors of ASCAP and is past president of the Nashville Songwriters Association International as well as past chairman of the Nashville Songwriters Foundation Board. Also, he was a member of the ASCAP Board of Review for four years. Wayland has testified on behalf of songwriters before both Senate and House Judiciary Committees in Washington, DC. Some of his awards and honors include induction into the Nashville Songwriters Hall of Fame, ASCAP

Country Songwriter of the Year, two-time winner of the Music City News Top Country Hits Award, Grammy Nominee, CMA Triple Play Award and recipient of the Nashville Songwriters Association International Presidents Award. He has received a total of 37 Performance Society awards and has written over

40 top 10 hits and 14 #1 songs. Some of the artists who have recorded Wayland's songs include George Strait, Peter Townsend, Reba McIntire, Crystal Gayle, Nitty Gritty Dirt Band and many others. His songs include Could I have This Dance, Till the Rivers All Run Dry, Some Broken Hearts Never Mend, and You're My Best Friend. Wayland also wrote Arkansas You Run Deep In Me, which has been adopted as the official state song of Arkansas. He and his wife, Nancy, have been married for 35 years and have 3 grown children, Greg, Mark and Lee.

Martin Katz

Professor, D.U. Law School



Martin Katz specializes in anti-discrimination law, both within constitutional law and employment law. His work on anti-discrimination law has been published in the *Georgetown Law Journal*, the *Indiana Law Journal*, and the *Yale Law Journal*. He has lectured extensively on anti-discrimination law, free speech and religion, separation of powers, defamation, and employment-related intellectual property law, and has made numerous media appearances. Prior to teaching full time, Professor Katz was a partner in the employment law group at Davis, Graham & Stubbs, and a law clerk to Judge

David M. Ebel on the U.S. Court of Appeals. He is a graduate of Yale Law School and Harvard College. In his spare time, he flies search and rescue missions for the Civil Air Patrol.

Ed Kelley

Editor, Daily Oklahoman



Ed Kelley was named editor of The Oklahoman in April 2003, succeeding the late Edward L. Gaylord. As editor he oversees both the news coverage and the opinion pages of the newspaper. He is a career employee of The Oklahoman and has filled a variety of editing and reporting positions since joining the newspaper as a summer intern in 1974. He has served as editorial page editor, managing editor, Washington bureau chief, city editor, business editor and state roving reporter. He was named national Editor of the Year in 1996 by the Washington-based National Press Foundation for directing the newspaper's coverage of the Oklahoma City bombing. He was inducted into the Oklahoma Journalism Hall of Fame in 2003. He

served as a juror to the Pulitzer Prizes in 1998. He is a member of the American Society of Newspaper Editors and is a member of the professional advisory board at the Gaylord College of Journalism at the University of Oklahoma. He holds a bachelor's degree in journalism from OU, where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa in 1975. He was reared in Perry, where he got his first taste of newspapering by writing about sports events for his hometown newspaper, the Perry Daily Journal. He and his wife, Carole, live in Oklahoma City and have three children.

Joseph P. Kennedy

Chief Justice, Nova Scotia Supreme Court



Chief Justice Joseph Phillip Kennedy is from Halifax, Nova Scotia. He attended St. Mary's University and

received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in 1965, and then Dalhousie Law School where he received his Bachelor of Law Degree in 1968. Chief Justice Kennedy practiced in Bridgewater, Nova Scotia, specializing in criminal law. He was appointed Judge of the Provincial Court of Nova Scotia in 1978 and Chief Judge in 1996. He was appointed Justice of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, then Associate Chief Justice, and then Chief Justice in 1998. Chief Justice Kennedy is married and has two children. He is a life-long fan of the Boston Red Sox (but is otherwise sane).

Suzanne Lyon

Author



Suzanne was raised in the Midwest and moved to Colorado to attend college at the foot of Pike's Peak. After graduating from The Colorado College, she moved to Washington, D.C. to work for a U.S. Senator. Law school followed and a stint in the Solicitor's office of the Department of the Interior where her clients included the National Park Service and the Capitol Police. Lured by the landscapes and legends of the West, Suzanne returned to Colorado with her husband and two children and turned her talents to writing historical fiction. Her Five Star

books are eagerly anticipated by fans of westerns, history, and romance alike. Lyon is a former officer of Women Writing the West and is a member of Western Writers of America.

Karen J. Mathis

President, American Bar Association



Ms. Mathis took office as president of the American Bar Association in August 2006. She is currently a partner in the Denver office of McElroy, Deutsch, Mulvaney & Carpenter, LLP. An active member of the ABA for almost 30 years, Mathis served as the Association's second highest officer, chair of its House of Delegates. She is the fourth woman elected to serve as an ABA officer, and the first president from Colorado. Mathis earned her law degree from the University of Colorado School of Law in 1975 and her Bachelor of Arts from the

University of Denver in 1972, cum laude. She has received honorary doctorates from Siena College and the University of Denver, and an honorary Order of the Coif from the University of Colorado. A member of the Colorado and International Women's Forum, she has been honored as an outstanding attorney by the Denver and Colorado Bar Associations, the University of Colorado and the University of Albany School of Law.

Tony Mauro

Supreme Court Correspondent



Tony Mauro is Supreme Court Correspondent for Legal Times and American Lawyer Media. He joined ALM in January, 2000 after covering the Supreme Court for USA TODAY and Gannett News Service for the previous 20 years. Mauro received a bachelor's degree in political science from Rutgers University, and a master's degree from the Columbia University

Graduate School of Journalism. He is the author of "Illustrated Great Decisions of the Supreme Court," published in July 2000 by Congressional Quarterly Press. The book was published in its second edition in December 2005. His 1998 stories on Supreme Court law clerks won a certificate of merit from the American Bar Association. In March, 2001 and November 2005, Washingtonian Magazine included Mauro on its list of the top 50 journalists in Washington. Mauro serves on the steering committee of the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press.

Mattias (Matt) Mountain

Director of the Space Telescope Science Institute



In September, 2005, Dr. Mountain was appointed director of the Space Telescope Science Institute in Baltimore, the science operations center for NASA's Hubble Space Telescope and the planned James Webb Space Telescope. Previously, Dr. Mountain was director of the Gemini Observatory and was based in Hilo, Hawaii. His background is in physics and astronomy, receiving his bachelor of science degree in physics in 1978 and his doctorate in astronomy in 1983, both from the Imperial College of Science and Technology, London University. He is also a visiting professor at the University of Oxford (UK).

Christopher B. Mueller

Professor, University of Colorado Law School



Christopher Mueller is the Henry S. Lindsley Professor of Procedure and Trial Advocacy at the University of Colorado Law School, where he has taught since 1985. His areas of concentration are Evidence, Civil Procedure and Complex Civil Litigation. He has written a 5-volume treatise called *Federal Evidence*, a single-volume treatise called *Evidence*, and a coursebook entitled *Evidence Under the Rules*. Laird C. Kirkpatrick, Hershner Professor of Jurisprudence and formerly Dean of the Law

School at the University of Oregon, is Professor Mueller's longtime collaborator and co-author on all these works. Mueller has also written journal articles on evidence law, and has given many presentations on evidence subjects. Mueller serves on the Colorado Civil Rules Committee and the Colorado Evidence Rules Committee, and he is a member of the American Law Institute. He commented regularly on NPR and other media during the trials of O.J. Simpson, Timothy McVeigh, and the Ramsey investigation in Boulder. Mueller is a graduate of Haverford College and holds a law degree from the University of California at Berkeley. He taught law at several other universities and was in private practice for several years.

Blain Myhre

Shareholder, Isaacson Rosenbaum, P.C.



Mr. Myhre is an attorney at Isaacson Rosenbaum in Denver, handling civil and criminal appeals in the Tenth Circuit and Colorado state appellate courts. Before joining Isaacson, he was a law clerk for

Circuit Judge William Holloway, Jr. in Oklahoma City. An admitted 'appellate nerd', Myhre writes a blog discussing decisions, issues and news from the Colorado Court of Appeals and the Colorado Supreme Court at www.Colorado-appealsblog.com. He received his Bachelor of Arts from the University of Virginia, and his Juris Doctorate, with honors, from the University of Colorado.

Robert F. Nagel

Professor, University of Colorado



Mr. Nagel was educated at Swarthmore College and Yale Law School. He was Deputy Attorney General, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and Director of the Byron R. White Center for the Study of American Constitutional Law. Mr. Nagel is currently the Ira C. Rothgerber, Jr. Professor of Constitutional Law at the University of Colorado. He has had visiting appointments at many law schools, including: Cornell, University of Michigan, William & Mary (Lee Distinguished Professor); Duke; and the University of San Diego. Nagel is the author of *Constitutional Cultures: the Mentality and Consequences of Judicial Review*; *Judicial Power and American Character: Censoring Ourselves in an Anxious Age*; *The Implosion of American Federalism*; and was Editor, *Intellect and Craft: The Contributions of Justice Hans Linde to American Constitutionalism*. He has authored many articles in professional journals as well as general circulation periodicals including *The New Republic*, *Washington Monthly*, *Public Interest*, *First Things*, and the *Wall Street Journal*. He is also a Fellow, American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

Michael S. Paulsen

Professor, University of Minnesota Law School



Professor Michael Stokes Paulsen teaches and writes in the areas of civil procedure, criminal procedure, legal ethics, constitutional law, and law and religion. He currently teaches courses on civil procedure, professional responsibility, separation of powers, and law and religion. From 1998-99 he held the Julius E. Davis Chair in Law. In 1999, he was appointed to the Briggs and Morgan Professorship in Law. Professor Paulsen received his B.A. degree with distinction from Northwestern University, where he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He received an M.A. degree in Religion from Yale Divinity School and a J.D. degree from Yale Law School in 1985. While in law school, Professor Paulsen was an editor of the *Yale Law Journal*, won the Harlan Fiske Stone Prize for appellate advocacy, and was a director of the Yale Federalist Society. After graduation from law school, Professor Paulsen joined the United States Department of Justice in the Criminal Division Honors Program. In 1986 he became staff counsel for the Center for Law & Religious Freedom in Washington, D.C. He then returned to the U.S. Department of Justice as an attorney-advisor in the Office of Legal Counsel. Professor Paulsen joined the University of Minnesota Law School faculty in 1991.

Bruce Price

Assistant Professor of Law, D.U. Law School



Price received his Ph.D. from New York University, Institute for Law and Society. He attended Haverford College and received his J.D., with Honors, from George Washington University, National Law Center. Professor Price has taught courses on Contracts, Law and Economics, Bankruptcy, and Law and Society at the University of Denver College of Law. Price recently secured funding to pursue empirical study of consumer credit counseling requirements in BAPCPA. He was also named winner of the 2006 Mentorship Award and nominated for both Most Outstanding Faculty Member and Most Engaging Professor. His publications include "A Butterfly Flaps Its Wings in Menlo Park: An Organizational Analysis of Increases

in Associate Salaries" *Wisconsin Law Review*, Volume 2005, No. 2; and "How Green Was My Valley: An Examination of Tournament Theory as a Governance Mechanism in Silicon Valley Law Firms," 37 *Law and Society Review* 731.

Stephen A. Saltzburg

Professor, George Washington University Law School



Stephen A. Saltzburg has been the Wallace and Beverley Woodbury University Professor at the George Washington University Law School since January, 2004. From 1990-2004, he was the Howrey Professor of Trial Advocacy, Litigation and Professional Responsibility. Before that, he taught at the University of Virginia School of Law, and was named the first Chairholder of the Class of 1962 Endowed Chair. In 1996, Professor Saltzburg funded and became the Director of a new Masters Program in Litigation and Dispute Resolution at George Washington. He has held many distinguished positions as Reporter, Arbitrator, Special Master, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, and Director of the Tax Refund Fraud Task

Force. Professor Saltzburg served as Associate Independent Counsel in the Iran-Contra investigation. He is the author of numerous books and articles on evidence, procedure, and litigation. He has served as a member of the ABA House of Delegates from the Criminal Justice Section, the ABA Task Force on Terrorism and the Law, the ABA Task Force on Gatekeeper Regulation and the Profession, and the ABA Task Force on Enemy Combatants. In 2003-2004, Professor Saltzburg chaired the ABA Justice Kennedy Commission, and he now co-chairs the ABA Commission on Sentencing, Corrections and Re-Entry.

Laura Spitz

Associate Professor, University of Colorado Law School



Laura Spitz is an Associate Professor at the University of Colorado Law School, where she teaches Bankruptcy, Contracts and Commercial Transactions. Before joining Colorado Law, Professor Spitz practiced corporate and commercial law in Albuquerque, NM, and Vancouver, BC. In addition, she clerked at the British Columbia Supreme Court. Professor Spitz's research focuses on the effects of transnational economic integration on sovereignty,

social movements, and national regulation in North America. Professor Spitz has a B.A. from the University of Toronto, an LL.B. from the University of British Columbia and an S.J.D. from Cornell.

Harry F. (Rick) Tepker, Jr.

Professor of Law, University of Oklahoma



Rick Tepker has been a member of the faculty of The University of Oklahoma since 1981. He teaches constitutional law, employment law and equal employment opportunity. He graduated from Claremont Men's College and earned his law degree from Duke University. He is a member of the Order of the Coif, Phi Beta Kappa, and the American Bar Association. In 1987, the United States Supreme Court appointed Tepker as counsel for petitioner, an indigent juvenile sentenced to death, in *Thompson v. Oklahoma*, 487 U.S. 815 (1988). It was the first case in which an American court overturned a death sentence on constitutional grounds because the condemned was too young at the time of the crime.

Nina Totenberg

NPR Correspondent, Legal Affairs



Nina Totenberg is National Public Radio's award-winning legal affairs correspondent. Her reports air regularly on NPR's critically acclaimed news magazines *All Things Considered*, *Morning Edition*, and *Weekend Edition*. Totenberg's coverage of the Supreme Court and legal affairs has won her widespread recognition. She is also a regular panelist on *Inside Washington*, a weekly syndicated public affairs television program produced in the nation's capital. In 1991, her ground-breaking report about University of Oklahoma Law Professor Anita Hill's allegations of sexual harassment by Judge Clarence Thomas led the Senate Judiciary

Committee to re-open Thomas's Supreme Court confirmation hearings to consider Hill's charges. NPR received the prestigious George Foster Peabody Award for its gavel-to-gavel coverage--anchored by Totenberg--of both the original hearings and the inquiry into Anita Hill's allegations, and for Totenberg's reports and exclusive interview with Hill. Totenberg received numerous additional awards, and she was named Broadcaster of the Year and honored with the 1998 Sol Taishoff Award for Excellence in Broadcasting from the National Press Foundation. She is the first radio journalist to receive the award. She has been honored by the American Bar Association and received a number of honorary degrees. She is a frequent contributor to major newspapers and periodicals. Before joining NPR in 1975, Totenberg served as Washington editor of *New Times Magazine*, and before that she was the legal affairs correspondent for the *National Observer*.

Eugene Volokh

Professor, UCLA School of Law

The Volokh Conspiracy



Eugene Volokh teaches free speech law, criminal law, copyright law, the law of government and religion, and a seminar on firearms regulation policy at UCLA Law School. Before coming to UCLA, he

clerked for Justice Sandra Day O'Connor on the U.S. Supreme Court and for Judge Alex Kozinski on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. Volokh also worked for 12 years as a computer programmer, and is still partner in a small software company which sells HP 3000 software that he wrote. He is the author of textbooks on the First Amendment, the Religion Clauses, and academic legal writing; the author of over 50 law review articles and nearly 100 op-eds; a member of The American Law Institute; and the founder and co-author of The Volokh Conspiracy (<http://volokh.com>), a Weblog that gets over 20,000 unique visitors per weekday. Professor Volokh graduated from UCLA with a B.S. in math-computer science at age fifteen.

Philip J. Weiser

Professor, CU Law School



Since arriving at the CU School of Law in 1999, Professor Philip J. Weiser has worked to fortify CU's strength in telecommunications and technology law, establishing the *Journal on Telecommunications & High Technology Law* and the *Silicon Flatirons Telecommunications Program*. Professor Weiser writes and teaches in the areas of telecommunications and information policy, recently co-authoring *Digital Crossroads: American Telecommunications Policy in the Internet Age* (MIT Press 2005). Prior to joining the CU faculty, Professor Weiser served as senior counsel to the Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Antitrust Division at the United States Department of Justice, advising him primarily on telecommunications

matters. Before his appointment at the Justice Department, Weiser served as law clerk to Justices Byron R. White and Ruth Bader Ginsburg at the United States Supreme Court and to Judge David Ebel at the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals. He received his BA from Swarthmore and his J.D. from New York University School of Law--both with honors.

Byron York

Correspondent, Journalist, Author



Byron York is the White House correspondent for National Review and author of *The Vast Left Wing Conspiracy*, which tells the story of the activists on the left--MoveOn.org, George Soros, and others--who created a new movement in their unsuccessful effort to defeat George W. Bush. He has also written on the war on terrorism, the anti-war movement, the CIA leak investigation, the coming 2006 campaign, and the battle of the president's judicial nominations, among other topics. A weekly columnist for *The Hill*, he has written for the *Atlantic Monthly*, the *Wall Street Journal*, *The New Republic*,

and *The Weekly Standard*. He has appeared on Meet the Press, Special Report with Brit Hume, Hardball, The NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The Daily Show, and other television programs, and has contributed occasional commentaries to National Public Radio. He lives in Washington, DC.

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